

## FOREIGN NEWS.

**FOREIGN NEWS.**

**THE HERZEGOVINA REBELLION.**

A RELIGIOUS WAR IMPENDING—SERVIA AND  
TENEGRO PROMISE TO REMAIN NEUTRAL.

VIENNA, Saturday, Aug. 14, 1878.

Advices from Herzegovina indicate that insurrection there threatens to assume the character of a religious war.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Saturday, Aug. 14, 1878.

The Porte has received formal assurances from the Princes of Serbia and Montenegro that they will remain neutral.

tain a neutral attitude in the Herzegovinian difficulty.

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**THE CENTENNIAL EXHIBITION.**  
FRENCH DELEGATES TO BE SENT.  
PARIS, Saturday, Aug. 14, 1876.  
*Le Rappel* says that 50 commercial corporations and tradesmen will each send delegates to the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia to study and report upon the various objects exhibited.  
A ROYAL COMMISSIONER COMING FROM SPAIN.  
MADRID, August 15, 1876.  
The Spanish Government will soon send a Royal Commissioner to the Philadelphia Exhibition.

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**GERMAN AFFAIRS.**  
A GENERAL EXTRADITION TREATY WITH THE UNITED STATES CONTEMPLATED—THE CHURCH LAMPS ACCEPTED IN POSSEN.  
BERLIN, Saturday, Aug. 14, 1876.

It is understood that the Federal Council shortly considers the question of an extradition treaty between the Imperial Government of Germany and United States Government, to take the place of existing treaties between the United States and the separate main States.

All the Catholic clergy holding State appointments have submitted to the ecclesiastical laws.

**SPANISH AFFAIRS.**

CONSPIRACIES ATTRIBUTED TO THEIR MEMBERS.

MADRID, Saturday, Aug. 14, 1874.

A royal decree orders conspirators to join the regiments before the end of October. The price ofemption is fixed at \$400.

**THE MEXICAN REPUBLIC.**

JUDGE MANTER RELEASED—THREE MEXICAN SLOES OF WAR ON THEIR WAY FROM ENGLAND.

MATAMOROS, Aug. 14.—Judge Manter, who was arrested and sent to the City of Mexico with Corti, is reported to have been set at liberty, and is returning to Matamoros.

Three steamships were recently constructed in Eng-

for Mexico are on their way to Vera Cruz. It is believed they will be sent to the Rio Grande to protect Mexican interests.

— CHINA AND JAPAN. —

PEACE LIKELY TO BE MAINTAINED WITH CORRESPONDING EXCESSIVE HEAT IN YEDDO AND PEKING—TIGER AGGRIEVED IN JAPAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—The Pacific Mail steamer Alaska, from Hong Kong via Yokohama, arrived at this port today. She brings advices from Hong Kong to July 15, and Yokohama July 25.

The rumors continue of impending trouble with China and the Japanese Government without definite information as to its intentions. The present indications are that peaceful counsels will prevail.

There has been unusual suffering from heat in Yokohama and Yokohama. The thermometer averaged last week 100 degrees Fahrenheit.

Punishment by torture is virtually abolished in Japanese courts, but the formal announcement is

There is great suffering throughout China from the longest heat. The thermometer at Peking has risen 110 degrees.

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**THE GRAND SAENGERFEST IN CANADA.**  
PREPARATIONS NEARLY COMPLETE—SEVERAL AMERICAN SOCIETIES EXPECTED.

**BERLIN, Ont., Aug. 14.**—The preparations for the grand German-Canadian Saengerfest, which commences Tuesday next, and continues three days, are nearly complete. It promises to be the most pleasant and successful demonstration of the kind ever in Canada. Singing societies from New-York, Buffalo, Detroit, Erie, Lockport, &c., are engaged.

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**THE ARMY WORM IN NOVA SCOTIA.**  
THE EASTERN SECTION INVADED—THE CRUELLY GREATLY INCREASED.

**HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 14.**—Yarmouth & Shelburne counties have been invaded by army worms, and the farmers are suffering greatly from them in

BRITISH MARKETS.  
CONDITION OF THE CORN TRADE—GROCERIES.  
VANANCING.  
LONDON, Saturday, Aug. 14, 1874.  
*The Times's* city article to-day says: "Following on the admission of the corn trade is a further report from our sources: admitting as certain a further rise in the event of bad weather, in the contrary event the still time to secure a large proportion of the wheat in good condition. If so the recent apprehensions of a poor harvest are not unfounded. As the American crop is expected in good order, there can be no changes in the result of the Spring wheat crop from the American sources. The winter wheat crop has been then already reason to apprehend a deficiency will not have been sufficiently hooded, which would create a demand for the East India wheat. The latter is less unfavorable than was apprehended. Most of recent rains have done little injury. Our own harvest is in a fair way of being completed. The corn is so exhausted as it was last year, and still the rising grain last two weeks have been double those of the corresponding weeks a year ago."

Further tendency toward improvement this week, there is no speculation. A large business is reported in West India sugar at the recent channel rates.

**FOREIGN NOTES.**

**LONDON, Aug. 14.**—The mail steamer *Bygon*, from Brazilian ports for Southampton, has 1000 of Bristol. Her crew and passengers were saved.

**PARIS, Aug. 14.**—Drexel, Harjes & Co. have redeemed \$200,000 of Duncan, Sherman & Co's note of credit. These letters are arriving daily from all parts of the Continent.

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**POLITICAL NEWS.**

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**VICTORY FOR PROGRESS AMONG THE CHIEFS.**

**FORT GIBSON, I. T., Aug. 15.**—The return of the election in the Cherokee Nation have been received from all but one precinct, which, however, is reported to stand 64 for Ross out of 79 votes polled. Five districts have been counted, and the result is as follows:—

Wm. P. Ross	24
Majority	10
Progress	14

**TEMPERANCE NOMINATION IN OREGON.**—**SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.**—The Oregon State Temperance Convention has approved of the nomination of Henry Warden, the Republican candidate for governor.

**THE YELLOW FEVER.**—**WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.**—The Surgeon-General has received the following dispatch:

FOET BARBANS, AFRICA.  
The Superintendent of the British Consulate taken ill yesterday, after my dispatch was sent; the rest are doing well. A corpse of malarial fever.

J. M. GLASSER, District Major-general, E. S. Africa.

**AN EARLY BALE OF NEW COTTON.**—**CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 15.**—The first

of the number of cations has been received here, eight days earlier than the first date received last year.

**DEATHS BY POISON IN AN INSANE ASYLUM.**  
St. Louis, Aug. 15.—Excitement was aroused at the County Insane Asylum yesterday over the death of four inmates, upon taking a sedative medicine to make them sleep. The names of the victims are Newman, Christiana Thomas, Anna Peters, and Joseph. An inquest was held this afternoon, but a verdict was deferred until an analysis could be made. The ingredients of the mixture were belladonna, a grain of cocaine, bromide of potassium, and other poisonous substances. Some preparation has been used before without effect, and it is thought that either an overdose was given, or the case of some unusual article was put in the mixture.